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YAKUTAT COMMERCIAL SET GILLNET OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

Yakutat...The Alaska Department of Fish and Game today announced the following information concerning the Yakutat Area commercial set gillnet fishery:

Alsek River: will be open from 12:01 p.m., Sunday, July 28, through 12:00 noon, Monday, July 29.

East River: will be open from 12:01 p.m., Sunday, July 28, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, July 31.

Dangerous River: will be open from 6:00 a.m., Sunday, July 28, through 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 31.

Akwe River: will be open from 6:00 a.m., Sunday, July 28, through 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 31.

Lost River: will remain closed until further notice.

Situk-Ahrnklin Inlet: will remain open until further notice. Commercial set gillnet fishing will be prohibited along the north bank of the Situk-Ahrnklin Inlet between two Alaska Department of Fish and Game markers located approximately 500 yards above and below the confluence of the Situk-Ahrnklin Inlet and the Lost River.

Yakutat Bay: will be open from 6:00 a.m., Sunday, July 28, through 6:00 p.m., Thursday, August 1.

Manby Shore-Outside Waters: will be open from 6:00 a.m., Sunday, July 28, through 6:00 p.m., Thursday, August 1.

Manby Shore-Inside Waters: will be open from 6:00 a.m., Sunday, July 28, through 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 30.

Remainder of the District: will be open from 6:00 a.m., Sunday, July 28, through 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 30.

Subsistence Fishery: From the beginning of the commercial salmon net season through the end of the commercial salmon net season the weekly subsistence fishing period is from 6:00 a.m., Friday to 6:00 p.m. Saturday, unless extended by emergency order. This applies to each river and bay fishery individually.

The Emergency Order corresponding to this announcement is EO 1Y2012.

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